

has two excellent cascades at Windsor Mills and Broughton Falls.

Lake St. Francis.—Along the line of the Quebec Central Railway, we meet with quite a series of utilizable or already utilized rapids and falls. In the first place, at St. Anselme on the Etchemin river, then at the Great Pozer rapid on the Chaudière in the vicinity of Scott's Junction. Next comes the Disraéli water-power, in the county of Wolfe on the discharge of Lake St. Francis, which runs the Messrs Champoux' mills. Three miles further on, the St. Francis Water Power Company, by erecting dams has created another water-power with a capacity of 4,000 horse-power, which is used to generate electricity that is transmitted to the workshops at Thetford, to those of Black Lake and to East Angus, where then is a large paper mill. On the other hand, at the junction of the Canadian Pacific with the Tring branch of the Quebec Central, the Matapedia Paper Company utilizes, on the discharge of Lake Megantic, a fall of 25 feet in height.

Rivière du Sud.—In the vicinity of the Intercolonial Railway, to the east of Quebec, the cascades susceptible of development for water-power sufficient for industrial purposes are equally numerous. They are met with on the river du Sud at St. Raphaël and Montmagny, the latter serving the firm of Price Bros. for the manufacture of pulp, on the Bras St. Nicolas, at St. Cyrille of L'Islet and at St. Aubert on the river Trois Saumons. If we descend a little further, we meet other water-powers on the river Ouelle, at St. Pacome, in the township of Ixworth, on the Kamouraska river, at St. Paschal, at l'rois-Pistoles and then at River du Loup, where a splendid fall of early 200 feet in height can be seen and admired.

The Seven Falls.—Still nearer to us, on the great plateau of St. Ferreol, behind St. Joachim, at a distance of four or five miles from the St. Lawrence, there is a series of thundering falls designated under the name of the *Seven Falls*. In height, this is the greatest water-power known, 375 feet, and it is said that from these wonderful cascades formed by the Ste. Anne river, an amount of energy equivalent to 15,000 horse-power can be obtained.

Ste. Anne's Falls.—The Ste. Anne or Grand River, which is a powerful body of water fed by a host of lakes, makes another leap before casting itself definitely into the St. Lawrence river. This has been given the name of the great falls of St. Joachim,